



Melissa Harris-Scott

June 26, 1980 - September 14, 2020

No obituary found for this tribute.

Cemetery Details

Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery-Cheltenham

11301 Crain Highway
Chletenham , MD 20623

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25**. 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

MARSHALL-MARCH FUNERAL HOME OF MD
4308 SUITLAND ROAD SUITLAND MARYLAND 20746
SUITLAND, MD 20746

Service

SEP **25**. 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Melissa Harris-Scott, Please Click the Link below.*



Marshall-March Funeral Homes - September 19, 2020 at 11:08 AM

DW

*Melissa I remember when you were born...a beautiful angel...
condolences to you both, Gail and Rodney . My heart aches for you 💜
I pray God will give you the unbelievable strength to handle this and
find comfort though it doesn't seem possible right now. I love you .
Dodie*

Dodie White - September 25, 2020 at 03:05 PM



“ *Melissa Harris-Scott*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM

WF

“ Hello everyone, i want you to Improve your credit score by going for a perfect credit repairer who will improve your credit report and expunge all your negative items permanently. One of the fastest and safest way is to hire a professional credit score specialist who can lawfully and economically re-establish your credit score and remove negative items. I was able to employ HACKER PAUL MIKE (HACKE RPAULMIKE@GMAIL.COM) who helped me erase all bad items permanently. He was also able to remove damaging items like evictions ,school loans from my credit file! Right now I have an 826 Excellent score and all my debt have been paid off. You can also reach him on 7206630651, i bet you would also come back and testify.

will flynn - September 26, 2020 at 12:02 AM

LD

“ I am extremely saddened and pray for strength for your family. I am so thankful for the memories we created and shared. I will always treasure the fun times we had at GHW. Sissy as we would call each other. I wish we had more time but until then Rest Easy Mel.



Laurean Dickson - September 25, 2020 at 08:32 PM

MF

“ To the Harris-Scott family, please accept our condolences. Although Melissa and I were Colleagues, over the years she got to know my wife and kids and we were all deeply saddened by her passing. When Melissa called about work I would have her on speaker, if my wife or the kids came into the room they would hear her voice and say hi Melissa and start chatting with her, eventually we would get back to the work conversation. We will forever miss the random chats.

Rest in peace Melissa,

The Farrell Family.

Mark, Laura, Saoirse and Cillian.

Mark Farrell - September 25, 2020 at 06:58 PM

OL

“ *Olutende lit a candle in memory of Melissa Harris-Scott*



Olutende - September 25, 2020 at 04:15 PM

RT

“ *Words can not express the pain I share with you Gail , Harry and family. I will always remember Melissa as a kind and sweet spirit. Ms. M. please rest in peace knowing that you are always loved. Rene and B*

Rene Taylor - September 25, 2020 at 03:49 PM

RM

“ *To the Harris-Scott Families
Please accept my deepest and sincerest sympathy for your loss. I
can not find the words to express my sorrow for all of you, but
please know, I am here when and if you need me.
Love
Rhonda Lee-Harris Miner*

Rhonda Lee-Harris Miner - September 25, 2020 at 03:19 PM

LM

“ *Melissa your sweet spirit was an honor to know, you will be truly
missed.*

Lorri Morrison - September 25, 2020 at 03:15 PM

LE

“ *I am in prayer with you Gail & Harry & you're entire family. God has
chosen his angel to be with him. We'll always have fond memories
of Melissa & she'll definitely be missed but not forgotten. God bless
you Harry & Gail 🙏*

Lenora - September 25, 2020 at 03:05 PM

BO

“ *You will always be in my heart !*



Beverly Osborne - September 25, 2020 at 02:00 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 25, 2020 at 09:39 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 25, 2020 at 05:35 AM



“ *Such a tremendous loss for all. Melissa was thoughtful and considerate to everyone she knew and worked tirelessly to make sure that everyone felt like they belonged. I will miss the way that she created opportunities for her colleagues to connect and get to know one another over meals and other gatherings. I will miss her dearly.*

My sincere condolences to her family, friends and loved ones.

Eric Lofberg - September 24, 2020 at 10:44 PM



Gail I am praying for you and the family. When Harvey told me your daughter I think I met her once. I know you are missing. But just think of her as a angel watching over you. Gail I will have you in my Prayers. God will see you through just have the faith in him.

Beverly

Beverly Blue - September 25, 2020 at 03:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.



September 24, 2020 at 10:04 PM



“ *My heartfelt condolences and prayers to Melissa's family, friends, and coworkers during this difficult time. May God comfort you as you remember and celebrate the life of such a wonderful person.*

*Calvin
FDHS c/o '98*

Calvin L. Tyson - September 24, 2020 at 08:40 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.



September 24, 2020 at 04:05 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.



September 24, 2020 at 03:05 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.* ”



September 24, 2020 at 12:24 PM



“ *April Watts (An old friend) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.* ”



April Watts (An old friend) - September 24, 2020 at 11:08 AM



“ *Daniela and Patrick Brown and the Lynch family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.* ”



Daniela and Patrick Brown and the Lynch family - September 24, 2020 at 06:56 AM



“ *Carole Tweedy lit a candle in memory of Melissa Harris-Scott* ”



Carole Tweedy - September 23, 2020 at 11:27 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 23, 2020 at 08:55 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 23, 2020 at 12:43 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 23, 2020 at 11:09 AM



“ *Quinton Osborne & Family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



Quinton Osborne & Family - September 23, 2020 at 10:59 AM

LH

“ While I never had the pleasure of meeting Melissa, I do wish to express my sincere condolences and sympathy to her family. May her name be for a blessing.

Sincerely,

Lee Heft

PSAV

Dir. Event Technology

The Renaissance Hotel, Portsmouth, VA.



Lee Heft - September 22, 2020 at 08:10 PM

PM

“ Beautiful young woman gone too soon. Will miss you Lis. ❤️😘



Patricia Ferguson Mosby - September 22, 2020 at 12:41 PM

WM

“ About 12 years ago, I was Director of Audio Visual Services at the Grand Hyatt Washington for Swank AV. One day, I sat down with my then supervisor, Dave Stout, to interview a candidate for a new position at the Grand Hyatt called Meeting Concierge. We had moved the interview to accommodate the candidate to the afternoon for some reason that escapes me now. The person who showed up was a bundle of energy and positive attitude. She spoke to us like she had known us for years. We laughed and joked – I knew this person would be a great fit for our operation and knew when she walked out that I would hire her. That person was Melissa Harris.

She would not prove me wrong, although the first week was rough going (she directed a client to a room across the building when the client was already in the room she was looking for). She eventually took control of all things on the floor and was a major reason our Customer Service Scores were so good. Oh, she had her issues – she would not touch a flipchart or tape down a line, but she was Queen of the AV floor and kept things running smoothly. She was well liked among the staff and never forgot a birthday or celebrate a holiday with the staff.

She loved music and had a ‘thing’ for JayZ, but she wasn’t above the occasional old school jam (Mr. Telephone Man-New Edition, Rock Steady-Whispers). She would get on me for not knowing anything about current music and laughed when I could not pronounce Nikki Minaj’s last name.

She had pet names for everyone, mine was ‘Willieton.’ She was my ‘Miss M.’

After a while, I let her get away with anything. She was late all the time – I think I counted that she was late 80% of the time. But she was my heart, so much so that the hotel staff would jokingly call her my daughter. When she left to work at the Residents Inn at Thomas Circle, I was happy for her but sad to see her go.

She eventually came back to work for the company Swank had become, PSAV, at the main equipment warehouse in her capacity as Operations Manager. Unlike when I was her supervisor, in her new job, she did not let me get away with anything and called me out when I sent equipment back late, broken, or not at all. I loved our email chains which could go on forever with inside jokes, smileys, and gifs.

I last saw her at BJ's warehouse with her then fiancé and soon to be husband. My last contact with her was in April by text. We talked about the outbreak at her old job in Residents Inn.

I can't believe that Melissa is gone. She was well loved and respected and was truly a force of nature. I send my deepest, sincerest condolences to her new husband and to the rest of her family during this time. May all the sweet memories of Melissa bring you solace during this time.

Rest in Peace Miss M.

Kindly,

Wilton 'Willieton' Madison



Wilton Madison - September 22, 2020 at 12:29 PM

KB

“ Kirby family: Briana, Amanda & Brendan purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.



Kirby family: Briana, Amanda & Brendan - September 22, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.



September 21, 2020 at 07:49 PM

CT

“ Carole Tweedy lit a candle in memory of Melissa Harris-Scott



Carole Tweedy - September 21, 2020 at 06:28 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.



September 21, 2020 at 03:37 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 21, 2020 at 12:51 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



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not let me get away with anything and called me out when I sent equipment back late, broken, or not at all. I loved our email chains which could go on forever with inside jokes.

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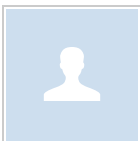
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Rest in Peace Melissa.

*Kindly,
Wilton Madison*



Wilton Madison - September 21, 2020 at 02:18 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 20, 2020 at 04:51 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*

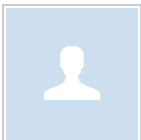


September 20, 2020 at 03:24 PM



“ *Cousin (the only name we ever called each other)... I was just telling somebody days before you passed, about how we would save up our allowance so we could walk up to Harbor Inn for crab legs on Wednesdays, and how often Rodney would take us to King's Dominion (your favorite place) on the weekends. And how you took care of my while I was in labor because everybody else had went out of town (we were kids ourselves). I thank God so much for the time we had and them memories that are forever in my heart. Love you Cousin 💔😭🕊️*

Keisha Banks - September 19, 2020 at 09:21 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 19, 2020 at 06:43 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 19, 2020 at 06:41 PM



“ *Melissa, you were a sweet and precious girl who became a beautiful woman both inside and out. I will forever cherish the special memories.*
Debbie Baker

Debbie Baker - September 19, 2020 at 06:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 18, 2020 at 11:16 PM



“ *Melissa you were a sweet and precious child, you became a beautiful woman inside and out. Those special memories will forever live in my heart.*

Debbie Baker - September 18, 2020 at 10:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Melissa Harris-Scott*.



September 18, 2020 at 09:55 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *Melissa Harris-Scott*.



September 18, 2020 at 09:48 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *Melissa Harris-Scott*.



September 18, 2020 at 09:09 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of *Melissa Harris-Scott*.



September 18, 2020 at 08:27 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 18, 2020 at 07:55 PM



“ *My heart is heavy at the thought of such a great loss. I've known Melissa since she was 15 years old as a close neighbor. She has blossomed into a beautiful woman. May God continue to bless Harry, Gail Char-Lou, her family and friends during this very difficult time.*



Shelley

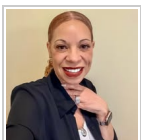
SM Archer - September 18, 2020 at 07:32 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Melissa Harris-Scott.*



September 18, 2020 at 11:28 AM



“ *Melissa was such a sweet person. I will always cherish the conversations and the laughs we shared. My deepest condolences to the family. Tara Littleton*

Tara Littleton - September 18, 2020 at 11:04 AM

AD

“ I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your wife, brother...I didn't get a chance to meet her but I am sure she was/is something special if you made her your wife. You smiled more in pics and now you have a forever Angel...sending my love always.



Anika Dickerson - September 18, 2020 at 10:57 AM

JR

“ Prayers and Words of comfort to Harry and the entire family of Melissa. She was a sweet, kind and loving spirit, if you knew her, you loved her. Gone but not forgotten.
Jeannette S. Riddick, Silver Spring

JEANNETTE S RIDDICK - September 18, 2020 at 09:54 AM

EF

“ We are saddened to learn about your family loss. May the support of family and friends be a source of strength and the God of comfort a refuge in your time of sorrow. Thinking of you all.

Evans family - September 17, 2020 at 04:32 PM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss, Jesus Christ Loves Me,
We Love You



Thomas Widgeon - September 17, 2020 at 07:58 AM

RO

No words can express my brother lost, but we can't question God, so my prayers go out to my niece and her family, Rest in Heaven! Your uncle Robert!

robertflood99@gmail.com - September 18, 2020 at 08:37 PM



“ We the March Family and Marshall-March Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - September 16, 2020 at 06:19 PM

AK

Praying for you and the family during this grieving period

Akila - September 19, 2020 at 10:35 PM